IN RECOGNITION OF "CROSS CREEK HIGH SCHOOL'S FIRST FOUR YEAR CLASS"

WHEREAS, Cross Creek High School was the first new high school in Richmond County to be built in twenty-nine years; and

WHEREAS, Cross Creek High School began with a vision that promoted student achievement in all areas of academics including career technology, fine arts, athletics, ROTC and extra curricular activities regardless of race, gender, ethnic origin, or socioeconomic status; and

WHEREAS, the staff members of Cross Creek High School came primarily from Butler and Hephzibah High Schools, all staff members exemplify integrity, passion and dedication to educate all students; and

WHEREAS, the students of Cross Creek High School were brought together from Butler High School and Hephzibah High School on August 20, 1999; and

WHEREAS, the Class of 2002-2003 is the first graduating class to have completed four years at Cross Creek High School.

NOW, THEREFORE, I Bob Young, Mayor of the City of Augusta, do hereby proclaim May 16, 2003 to be "THE FIRST TO DO FOUR AT CROSS CREEK DAY" in Augusta, Georgia and urge all citizens to join in the recognition of their scholastic achievements.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of Augusta, Georgia to be affixed this 16th day of May 2003.